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SUBJ: GIRM REQUEST FOR INFORMATION ON ZAIRE INVASION

REF: NOUAKCHOTT 562

1. MINISTER STATE FOR RURAL ADVANCEMENT AND NATIONAL POITICAL BUREAU MEMBER ABDOULAYE BARO TOOK ME ASIDE LAST NIGHT AT SAUDI DINNER TO ASK WHATUSG KNEW ABOUT CURRENT MILITARY ACTIVITY IN ZAIRE AND WHAT OUR ASSESSMENT WAS OF (A) MILITARY SITUATION AND (B) PROBABLE IMPACT OF RECENT EVENTS. WHEN I RESPONDED THAT INFORMATION EMBASSY NOUAKCHOTT HAD RECEIVED SO FAR DEALT PRIMARILY WITH HEALTH AND WELFARE OF AMCITS IN IMMEDIATE AREA, BARO COMMENTED WRYLY "I SEE YOU ARE IN THE SAME BOAT WE ARE--TOTALLY DEPENDENT ON INTERNATION PRESS UD RADIO REPORTS FOR INFORMATION ON ZAIRE CRISIS".

2. IN ANTICIPATION OF RENEWED GIRM REQUEST FOR INFORMATION EARLY NEXT WEEK (THIS TIME FROM FOREIGN MINISTER MOUKNASYNWHO HAS JUST RETURNED FROM CAIRO SUMMIT VIA STOP IN KUWAIT TO DELIVER MESSAGE FROM OULD DADDAAH TO EMIR), I SHOULD VERY MUCH APPRECIATE
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RECEIVING ASAP A ROUNDUP ON ZAIRE INVASIONVLHAT I CAN SHARE WITH SENIOR LEVEL OF GIRM. IT WOULD APPEAR TO BE VERY MUCH TO OUR ADVANTAGE TO BOLSTER GIRM'S "COMPLETE SUPPORT" OF GOZ (REFTEL) WITH MAXIMUM POSSIBLE FACTUAL BASE.

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